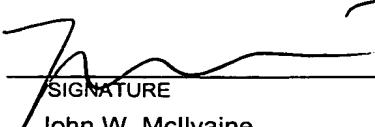
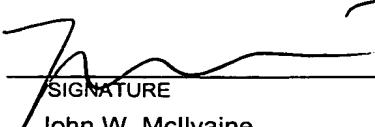
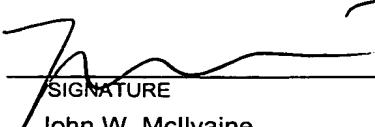


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TITLE OF INVENTION Carrier, Holder, Laser Cutting Device and Method for Separating Semiconductor Products Using Laser Light		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Henri Joseph VAN EGMOND, Joannes Leonardus Jurrian ZIJL and Marcel Hermanus Johannes RENSEN		
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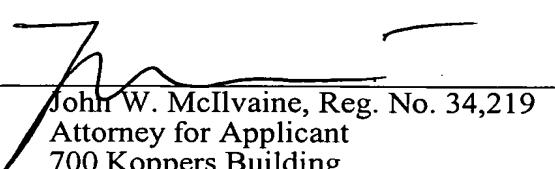
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